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In the application of:

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Serial No.: PCT/EP2004/000224

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For: HIP PROSTHESIS INCLUDING A  
SHAFT TO BE FIXED IN THE  
MEDULARY CANAL OF THE FEMUR  
(as amended)

Examiner: NOT YET ASSIGNED

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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